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¶1. (U) Uzbekistan's Ministry of Foreign Affairs responded positively to the United States proposal to resume cooperation with Uzbekistan's Committee for State Border Protection (reftel).

¶2. (U) An unofficial translation of the GOU's diplomatic note No 20/21189 follows:

Begin text: The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Uzbekistan presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and in reply to your diplomatic note No 640/07, of August 28, 2007 has the honor to inform that the GOU agrees with the proposal of the USG about the resumption of cooperation within border security programs. Information about the Uzbek representatives to the joint working groups will be provided separately. The Ministry avails itself of the opportunity to renew to the Embassy the assurances of its highest consideration. End text.

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